

Mountain Lions

occasional site visitors



About half of California is mountain lion country, and Sandia is located within their geographic range. The population of mountain lions in California is estimated at 5,000 to 6,000. The home range of an adult mountain lion can span over 100 square miles. Generally, they are most abundant in areas with plentiful deer, the primary prey for a mountain lion

If you see a mountain lion at Sandia, or in the surrounding area, immediately notify the Sandia Central Alarm Station at 294-2300, or 911 from any onsite phone.